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WM. MOORE,
Master Steamer Western Slope.
Victoria, Dec. 8, 1881. de8

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Notice to Taxpayers.

ALL TAXES DUE AND UNPAID ON THE 1ST OF JANUARY, 1882, WILL BE CHARGED WITH INTEREST FROM THE 1ST JULY LAST AT THE RATE OF 12 PER CENT. PER ANNUM UNTIL PAID.

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The Directors also acknowledge a donation of $5 from Mr. T. J. Burnes, American Hotel, and $5 from Marcus Smith, Esq., C.P.R.

B. C. Pioneer Society	$25 00
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NOTICE

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SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned and superscribed "Tenders for Supplies," will be received up to 1 p. m. of SATURDAY, the 17th day of December next, for supplies of the following articles to the Dredge Vessels lying in Victoria Harbor, up to the end of June, 1882:

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Salt	"
*Ground White Pepper	"
Mustard	"
Maccaroni	"
Vermicelli	"
Sago	"
*Pearl Barley	"
*Split Peas	"
*Soap (Common)	"
*Rice, No. 1	"
Cheese, (Prov.)	"
Ham do	"
Bacon do	"
Boneless Codfish	"
Beans	"
No. 1 Cabin Biscuits	"
Raisins	"
*Currants	"
Yeast Powder	℔ dozen
Pickles (C. & B.)	"
Cornmeal	℔ bag
Oatmeal (Prov.)	"
Worcestershire Sauce	℔ bottle
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Malt Vinegar	℔ gallon

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Vegetables	

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SEPARATE TENDERS will also be received, superscribed "Tenders for Coal and Cordwood," and addressed to the undersigned, up to 1 p.m. of Saturday, the 17th December next, for supplying about 30 tons of Nut Coal and about 20 Cords of Wood per month for the use of the Dredge Vessels up to the end of June, 1882. The coal to be delivered once a month on board the Dredger, and the wood to be delivered on board a barge moored for the purpose in Victoria Harbor.

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(Signed) H. S. ROEBUCK,
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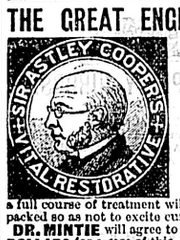

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Daily Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 20TH, 1881.

MR. W. HARRISON
Is the only person at Yale who is authorized to receive Subscriptions for the DAILY and WEEKLY COLONIST.

L. P. FISHER, Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, is authorised to receive advertisements for the columns of this paper.

THE SUPREME COURT EMBROGLIO.

A most important discussion ensued yesterday between the judges and the attorney-general relative to the convening of the Appellate Court. It appears the Lieutenant-governor-in-Council had (as was alleged) fixed the 19th day of December, 1881, as the day for the assembling of the full Court in pursuance of an Act of the Provincial legislature which provided the full Court should sit only once a year at such time as the executive might appoint. The Chief Justice on the opening of the discussion intimated that the judges did not sit as a full Court, but had assembled in respect to the ostensible wish of the Provincial government. That the judges refused to sit as a full Court considering (subject to argument) that the legislature had no right to delegate any authority they might have; that they had enacted the full Court should sit only once a year and that the full Court had already sat on the 27th June and could not consistently with the Act sit again until the 27th of June next year. Furthermore it did not technically appear that an Order-in-Council had been passed fixing the full Court for the 19th December, though the omission might readily be rectified. The main point, however, to which the attention of the attorney-general was invited consisted in this:—*That the local legislature under the British North America Act had no right of interference whatever with the Supreme Court. That tribunal had never been constituted, maintained or organized by the Province; and the British North America Act had given to the local legislature the power to legislate as to civil procedure as regarded those Courts only which the Province constituted, maintained or organized.* Mr. WALKEM fairly said this aspect of the question had been presented for the first time and coincided with the judges that time should be allowed for argument. The judges said they wished argument and in such a shape that the point might go the Supreme Court of Canada. Thursday, the 5th January, was then fixed for discussion. It was further intimated by the Court that they would themselves make regulations in pursuance of their inherent right for the speedy disposal of the several appeals pending before the Court. To the minds of our readers it will readily occur as we have all along insisted that the functions of the legislature and executive should be kept entirely distinct from those of the supreme judicial tribunal of the province. The framers of the British North America Act evidently contemplated it should be so, and we feel little doubt that when the point shall have been eventually decided by the Supreme Court of Canada our citizens will feel the more secure in knowing they possess a judicial tribunal beyond the influence of local politics.

CEMENT.

Our contemporary returns nothing but abuse for our article of the 17th anent cement. The bad quality of the article and its deterioration are saddled on the shoulders of Mr. ELLIOTT. That gentleman had no more to do with the purchase or its inferior quality than the man in the moon. But Mr. WALKEM *made* the purchase at a time when the cement was not required and under circumstances which show he had not the authority of the province to enter into the bargain. In our previous remarks the subject was fully gone into, yet not one word from the *Standard* or rather from Mr. WALKEM which grapples with the points presented. The present state of things is the legitimate result of nefariousness. The province has neither the quantity nor the quality of cement it should have. Given an agent for a principal who had never occassion to make a purchase of cement, together with a too willing vendor of a worthless article, and there is no wonder that the unfortunate principal, the province of British Columbia has paid an outrageous price for an inferior article; and that to-day the cement in the drydock is not up to the standard of the specifications. Our readers may be surprised to learn the damaged article at Esquimalt has been sparsely doled out, apparently to delude the public into a belief that there is both quantity and quality. *It is not so.* Before the drydock can be completed we hazard the opinion that over $100,000 will have to be expended in the purchase of sufficient and good material. The cement question will stick to Mr. WALKEM and his government and he will ever have to explain why he made in a distant land a purchase without the consent of his co-executive, long before the article was ever required, and when the work in which it was to be used was not to be performed by the government. Eye-witnesses are not usually found in evidence of unfair dealing and possibly there may be no application for the old adage "that as mortar sticketh between bricks so doth fraud between buying and selling." At all events facts are facts and men of business will draw business conclusions.

DENTISTRY.—Mr. R. B. Thompson, Dentist. Nitrous Oxide Gas (Laughing Gas) administered for the painless extraction of teeth. Reduced charges for plate work. Office, upstairs in the Old Masonic Building, Government street. Hours, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. *

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Thirty Years Behind the Age.

TO THE EDITOR.—Such it seems was the sage remark made by James Fell, Esq., chairman of the trustees of the public school with regard to the views expressed in the paper edited by the boys. One would think it should be the duty of any one thus addressing them to offer words of kind encouragement and not attempt to be little their endeavors by such contemptuous invectives.

It would appear the great error of those editing the paper (that is according to Mr. Fell's idea) was that it spoke in terms of laudation of the late Earl of Beaconsfield, which, of course, was a great offence to a man of the politics of this said chairman, who swears by the Manchester school and believes in the policy of Gladstone, Bright and Chamberlaine, and who, of course, thus believing must necessary be right, for who would dare to differ with such an oracle as Mr. Fell?

Of one thing we may be assured if on the occasion here alluded to the boys felt anything but satisfaction at the opinion pronounced by the chairman, we may be quite sure the chairman on this occasion was thoroughly satisfied with the manner in which he had acquitted himself.

A FATHER OF ONE OF THE BOYS.

Columbian Churchman.

TO THE EDITOR.—Under the above signature appears a communication in your issue of Sunday that requires more ventilation before being fully understood. Are we to understand by it that it means the dogma of "apostolic succession" with which the high church has in modern times been so much exercised and which the Ven. Archdeacon Woods some few years since said he would prove was the heritage of the Episcopal church, but which he never essayed to do? If it does not mean this will a "Columbian Churchman" be good enough to tell us what he seeks to establish in his communication, as in the meantime it is somewhat vague; or are we to understand such matters are too sacred for the laity, proper only to be known by the clergy, and that consequently it is not proper for the laity to make such enquiry? If that be so why does a "Columbian Churchman" air this matter in the newspaper?

EPISCOPIUS.

The Tombola Money.

TO THE EDITOR.—As one of the contributors to the Mechanics' tombola I would like to know what was realized. Enquiring of this matter yesterday I was informed by one of the committee that the proceeds were in the hands of the president and that he had neglected to pay them over to the Institute.

Surely in dealing with public monies more promptitude should be shown, and the net results published as soon as possible.

ONE INTERESTED.

THE PRINCESS LOUISE.

The Story of her Marriage with the Marquis of Lorne.

The New York *Times* has the following: When the engagement of the Marquis of Lorne to the Princess Louise was announced it excited in England very great surprise. Among the higher nobility the affair was generally thought a blunder, but no sort of jealousy arose, because an alliance with royalty was not by any means regarded as one to be desired. The "true inwardness" of the marriage is known only to very few, but there is scarce a doubt that it was largely due to a desire to entirely wean the princess from an attachment which she had formed for a gentlemen whose position was such as to preclude all idea of her marrying him, unless precedent and etiquette were to be entirely set aside. At the present time life in Queen Victoria's home is by no means a gay and festive affair, but it is gayety itself compared with what it was for several years after the Prince Consort's death. No young ladies in England led during that period a duller existence than the Queen's daughters. At that time the studies of Prince Leopold were directed by Rev. Robinson Duckworth. Mr. Duckworth, son of a highly respectable merchant, had been educated at University College, Oxford, where Dr. Stanley was for many years tutor. University is almost opposite Queen's, and the then Provost of Queen's was Dr. Thomson, whose wife was the prettiest and most attractive woman of Oxford. Fond of society and of music, Mrs. Thomson soon recognized in Mr. Duckworth, who had good looks and a charming voice, a valuable addition to her circle, and she became as great a favorite with her husband, now Archbishop of York, as with her husband, Dr. Thomson was the most intimate friend of Max Muller, the philologist, who, as well as Dr. Thomson, was intimate with Dean Stanley, and thus it came about their young favorite, Mr. Duckworth, was recommended as governor of Prince Leopold. It was not extraordinary if the Princess Louise found in her very dull life at home agreeable distraction in the society of a handsome, highly cultivated young man with tastes congenial to her own. That she did so is beyond question, and marriage with somebody else was doubtless the best course to make her forget the man she could not have. Lord Lorne was unexceptionable in character, she had known him for years, and thought well of him. There is ample evidence that during her stay at Ottawa she did her duty in her state in life, and there is little likelihood that she would have returned from Canada but for the fact of the overturn of the sleigh coach in which she was proceeding to the Parliament House resulted not merely in a serious shock to the system, but in specific injury. True, she has been going about in England, but it is one thing to go about at one's ease among friends, and another to maintain representation. An invalid may easily do the one, but not the other.

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AT THE LINGARD MATINEE, ON THE 19TH ult., or between the Theatre and Pandora street, a SABLE BOA. Any person finding the same will be suitably rewarded on leaving it at *The Colonist* office. dec20

LOST OR STOLEN.

A BLACK AND LIGHT TAN HOUND DOG, about 2 years old, answers to the name of "Grant." A suitable reward will be paid to any person returning the same to this office. dec20 1w

NOTICE TO PETTY JURORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL PERSONS who was summoned to attend as Petty Jurors at the present Assizes are hereby discharged from attendance at the Assize Court until further notice. By order of Mr. Justice Crease.
THOS. HARRIS,
Sheriff.
Victoria, 19th Dec., 1881. dec20

TO FARMERS!

THE BEST DESCRIPTION OF
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SPECIAL NOTICE!

OWING TO LARGE ADDITIONS made to our Holiday Sale we have been compelled to alter the date of the sale to TUESDAY. The Goods will be on view from 7:30 to 9 o'clock Monday evening.
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Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.
Freight and Baggage for shipment by her are required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 P. M. on Monday, 19th inst.
The steamer Woodside will convey passengers from our wharf at 9 A. M. on date of sailing.
For Freight and Passage apply to
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FOR THE WINTER ON THE C.P.R. RAILWAY, THE
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Apply immediately.
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NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE CARRIED ON as McLean and Carson has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Said business will in future be carried on by John McLean, to whom all accounts due must be paid and all accounts for payment be presented.
(Signed) JOHN McLEAN,
ALFRED CARSON.
Witness—
D. D. DUNN.
Quesnelle, November 21st, 1881. dec16dw

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BY GEORGE VIENNA, VICTORIA MARKET, Government street, Victoria,
FAT TURKEYS FOR CHRISTMAS,
WILL PAY CASH FOR
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SATURDAY MATINEE AT 2 P. M.,
MARBLE HEART.
SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 24th,
HAMLET.
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NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF J. Dudgeon must be presented to me on or before the 19th inst. All debts owing to the estate must be paid to me at my office, Wharf street, opposite J. P. Davis, auctioneer, on or before the 19th inst., or they will be handed to a collector.
H. BORNSTEIN.
Victoria, Dec. 9th, 1881. dec10

ESTATE OF JOHN C. MONCK.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the estate of the late John C. Monck are requested to forward the same to the undersigned forthwith.
W. POLLARD,
Solicitor for Administratrix.
Victoria, 29th Nov., 1881. no30

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of Thomas W. Nordburg, deceased, are requested to forward them to the undersigned without delay for settlement.
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Executor to the Estate.
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Postponement of Raffle.

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Victoria, 17th Dec., 1881. dec17

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ON THE 1ST INST., A VALUABLE GOLD FINGER RING. Any person finding the same will be liberally rewarded on giving it to Mr. FRANK CAMPBELL, corner Government and Yates streets. dec17

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Victoria, 18th Nov., 1881. no19

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A PURSE CONTAINING LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION and private correspondence, of no value to any person but the owner. The finder will be rewarded on leaving the same at this office. dec3

$25 Reward--Notice.

WHEREAS ON THURSDAY, THE 20TH DAY of October, 1881, a small box addressed N. 3. Gauvreau, Esq., Asst. Engineer C. P. Railway Office, Victoria, B.C., was lost while in transit from Yale to Victoria. The sum of $25 will be paid to any person who will bring the box to the undersigned.
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3rd—Single Picture, "Summer scene in Norway."
4th—Single Picture, "The Clyde at Greenock."
Lowest throw—The pair, "The Hunter's Tale" and "A Difficult Choice."
2nd—The Single Picture, "A Picnic Party.
3rd—The small pair without a title.
TICKETS to be had at the Brown Jug Saloon.
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NOTICE.

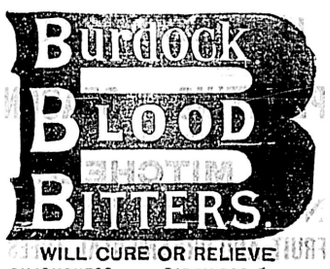
I HAVE MADE AN ASSIGNMENT OF ALL MY estate and effects to H. Bornstein for the benefit of all my creditors.
JAMES DUDGEON.
Victoria, 6th December, 1881. dec7

REWARD---LOST.

FROM ROSS BAY COTTAGE ON THURSDAY, 24th inst., a FOX TERRIER, white, with two brown patches on head and bob-tail. A reward will be paid for its recovery.
MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.
Wharf street. no26

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF 200 TONS OF hard Solid Stones will be received at my office, Langley street, up to FRIDAY, 4 o'clock p. m.
The Stones to be delivered between high and low water mark on Nathan's lot, between the H. B. Co. and Leneveu's blocks.
de14 H. O. TIEDEMANN, Architect.



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THE SISTERS OF ST. ANN GRATEFULLY acknowledge the receipt of $1225 45, which were handed them last evening by Mrs. P. McQuade, President of the Bazaar Committee.
They tender many and sincere thanks to the ladies who conducted it, and to whose unsparing exertions they owe so much, and to the people of Victoria who, by contribution and goodwill, are ever ready to lend them assistance and support them in their endeavors to do good. de3

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE HOME Rae street, up to Twelve o'clock, noon, on FRIDAY, the 23rd Dec., for the supply of Groceries and Butcher's Meat for one year, commencing 1st January, 1882. J. H. LAWSON,
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LABOR EXCHANGE, COLLECTOR OF RENTS, Debts, County Court and Commission Agent.
OFFICE:—Johnson street, opposite Colonial Hotel, Victoria, B.C. de16

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FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR.

C. E. REDFERN

Begs to call attention to his new and varied stock of HANDSOME GOODS bought especially for THE CHRISTMAS TRADE, consisting of

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S FINE WATCHES AND CHAINS

All kinds of JEWELLERY in the most Elegant Designs, including some very fine DIAMOND RINGS and EARRINGS.

NEWEST STYLES OF SOLID SILVERWARE,

In Napkin Rings, Card Cases, Portmonnies, Cups, Spoons, Forks, etc.

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Both English and American, consisting of Card and Cake Baskets in new and beautiful designs, Vases, Flower Pots, Tea Services, and a variety of other articles too numerous to mention, all of which will be offered at
EXTRAORDINARY LOW PRICES FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS, WITH A DISCOUNT OF TEN PER CENT. ON ALL CASH PURCHASES.
Special attention is called to a splendid assortment of Plain and Fancy Clocks.
☞ Jewellery manufactured on the premises. de2

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NEW GOODS JUST OPENED!

Ten Per Cent. Off for Cash!

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IN ADDITION TO THE FORMER REDUCTION I NOW THROW OFF TEN PER CENT. FOR CASH.
☞ GARMENTS MADE TO ORDER. ☜ oct4 1m

THE WHITE HOUSE.

Having purchased from the former proprietors, MESSRS. C. STROUSS & CO. all their interest in the WHITE HOUSE, Government street, we will, under the firm name of

HUTCHESON, YOUNG & CO.,

Continue the business as heretofore. We propose to carry a carefully assorted stock in the various departments of a complete

DRY & FANCY GOODS ESTABLISHMENT.

As we will make our Purchases for CASH, we are in a position to successfully carry on a business of this kind, and having been for some years engaged in supplying the wants of customers in this market, and thoroughly understanding

WHERE TO PURCHASE,
WHEN TO PURCHASE,
WHAT TO PURCHASE,

Our aim will be to make THE WHITE HOUSE a resort for those who wish to secure Fashionable and First Class Goods for the Very Lowest Cash Price at which it is possible to obtain them.

OUR AMBITION IS NOT TO FOLLOW, BUT TO LEAD.

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We have PECULIAR ADVANTAGES which will, we believe, enable us to command a large share of public patronage.
We will advertise nothing but what we are prepared to do, relying upon the values we offer as the best and surest means of gaining public favor.
☞ INSPECTION AND CRITICISM INVITED. ☜
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October 24th, 1881. oc25

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JNO. CAMP,
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no6 W. C. SIFFKEN, Hon. Sec.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
'30 D. LOWENBERG.

GRAND RAFFLE

— AT THE —
"COLD TEA" SALOON.
ON CHRISTMAS EVE.
HIGH PRIZE—JULES GERGERSON WATCH, $30
The finest Watch in the Country; Cost $350.
LOW PRIZE—SPLENDID DIAMOND SLIDE, $200
Cost $300. The winner can take $190 in Gold Coin lieu of the Slide on the night of the Raffle.
All tickets must be sold, but positively no person will be bored to purchase them. Five per cent. onl will be deducted for sundries.
200 CHANCES AT $2 50 EACH.
J. LOVETT,
Government St., Victoria, B. C.
☞ The raffle will be managed as in previous year—four responsible gentlemen being selected to conduct it. Any persons abroad sending for tickets can rely on receiving the prize or prizes should they win them. no19

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GOOD NEWS FOR THE LADIES.

THEY NEED NOT RUN DOWN TOWN FOR Spools, Lace, Buttons, Handkerchiefs, Needles, Pins, Hair Oil, Hair Pins, Blue, Stove Polish, Blacking, Matches, Lead Pencils, Pins, Stationery, etc.
WHY?—Because THOMAS HAUGHTON will call at their houses and be glad to supply them. no12

Daily Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 20TH, 1881.

TELEPHONIC.

THE COLONIST editorial rooms are in telephonic communication with the central office, with Esquimalt and with the residence of the proprietor. Parties having news or other information to communicate will confer a favor by transmitting it to this office through the instrument of the nearest subscriber.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Dec. 19—Str Princess Louise, New Westminster
Str Enterprise, New Westmluster
Str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo
Slp Alice, Moresby Island

CLEARED.

Dec. 19—Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo
Slp Alice, Moresby Island

BIRTHS.

In this city, on the 19th inst., the wife of Mr. Hugh Murray (Nicola) of a son.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO. will sell at 11 o'clock, at salesrooms, Goods suitable for Holiday Presents, Glassware, Platedware, Furs, Cloaks, etc.

Mechanics' Institute.

In a literary point of view the entertainment last evening at the Mechanics' Institute was a success; but financially it could not be so designated as the attendance was very small indeed. His Honor the Lieut. Governor and Hon. Mr. Walkem occupied seats on the platform, together with Messrs. S. P. Mills, W. K. Bull and J. Ross members of of the Institute committee. The President, Mr. James Fell, was in the chair. After a well executed piece of music by the band the chairman remarked that it gave him great pleasure to call on His Honor the Lieut. Governor to address the meeting. He also referred to correspondence in *The Colonist* of Sunday morning on the subject of the Premier acting as a judge on poems.

The lieut.-governor was greeted with much applause upon rising to address the audience. He remarked that he was much pleased in being present and congratulated the committee on their endeavors not only to replenish the funds of such a deserving institution; but in trying to encourage literary effort among the people. Both these objects were good and praiseworthy ones. The first should be encouraged as the public could get the use of most of the leading periodicals of the day in the reading room of the Institute and could also gain access to a valuable library of standard works. In no part of the world was money so equally distributed as in this city; while none were really overburdened with it, yet nearly all had a sufficiency for the necessaries and many of the luxuries of life. He hesitated in taking hold of the duty that had been put upon him by the committee until he was told that he would be associated with Mr. Walkem in the work. The contributions were numerous and required patient examination. They had no difficulty however in awarding the palm of merit. All would agree with him that anything that would facilitate literary progress would be beneficial to the community. On resuming his seat His Honor was much applauded.

The chairman in calling on the Hon. Mr. Walken again referred to the letter in *The Colonist*.

The premier acknowledged the handsome compliment that had been paid him by the lieut.-governor and remarked on the great adaptability of the English language to blank verse. He and his Honor on the second reading of the poems had but little difficulty in arriving at the decision that the one in blank verse on the "Spirit of the Age" should be awarded the prize and that the second prize should be given to the successful competitor on "John Chinaman." He then referred to the usefulness of such competition in awaking slumbering genius. The productions that would be read were creditable to the city and province. There was plenty of talent here and always had been since '62. Some of it yet remained that came in those early days, but some had gone to other lands and also to the home appointed for all living. He was much gratified at the compliment that had been paid him by the committee of the institute and hoped that they would have many successful art exhibitions and that their efforts to encourage literary talent would be productive of much good. (Applause.)

Mr. Bull then read the poem on the "Spirit of the Age" which is of considerable length and will be published hereafter. At the close of the reading the name of the author Mr. John C. Brown of New Westminster was received with much applause.

The secretary of the Institute, Mr. S. P. Mills, then read the poem on John Chinaman. This elicited much commendation, and when the name of the auteor, Mr. J. J. Austin, was announced, a great storm of applause greeted him. He was called to the platform to receive the prize which was handed to him by the Chief Commissioner of L. and W. with the remark that it was a very creditable effort and he was glad that his office hours had been so well occupied. (Laughter.)

This poem will also be published tomorrow.

Four other poems on the same subject were read by Messrs. Bull and Mills. Some of these are very good.

The conundrums were then read by Mr. Mills. They were numerous, although many of them of an inferior character. The daily papers, City Council, Fell, Walkem and other prominent citizens formed subjects. A few created some merriment and after all had been gone over some half-a-dozen were accorded another reading. The president took exception to one on the school trustees in which Dr. Slade was designated a bilk. Finally they were sifted down to two. One of these was "What is the greatest curiosity on Fort street?" Ans.—"A Bull in a behive;" and the other, "Why should Mr. Fell have a well balanced mind?" Ans.—"Because there is as much of it before as behind." A vote on these resulted in a tie—24 each; but exception being taken to the former one that it was old and not original, the latter carried off the prize of $10, which was at once handed to the author, Mr. John Ross amid much laughter.

The chairman then tendered a vote of thanks on behalf of the committee to His Honor the Lieut. Governor and Hon. Mr. Walkem, after which the entertainment was closed with the National Anthem.

CHANGE OF WHARFS. — The Sound steamers will land at the H. B. Co.'s wharf while the new one belonging to Mr. Yates is under construction. Mr. Englehardt will attend to the business as formerly.

South Saanich Public School.

The half-yearly examination of this school took place on Friday last, the 16th inst., and in spite of the inclement state of the weather, combined with the difficulties of travelling over heavy roads, the attendance of visitors (between 50 and 60) far exceeded general expectation.

The examination was conducted by the teacher, Mr. S. D. Pope, assisted by the Rev. F. Wright, Mrs. Wilson Brown and others, and proved highly satisfactory, the answers to the questions clearly proving careful instruction, and considerable intelligence on the part of the scholars.

The school was then addressed by the Hon. T. B. Humphreys, Minister of Education, Rev. F. Wright, Messrs. Michell, Sluggett, &c., who severally urged on the pupils the necessity of hard work in utilizing the ample advantages within their reach.

At the close of the examination the visitors were treated to a musical entertainment coupled with recitations by the pupils, which were very gratifying to all present.

On the conclusion of the proceedings, after several visitors had expressed their satisfaction, Mr. F. Spotts, school trustee, called for three cheers for Mr. and Mrs. Pope, which were heartily responded to.

The following is the

ROLL OF HONOR:

Seniors—Eva Reynard, Maggie Michell.

Intermediates—Emma Simpson, Fred. Turgoose, Emily Michell, Fannie Turgoose, Elizabeth Thomson, Cuthbert Reynard, Charles Simpson, Elizabeth Haldon, Henry Haldon.

Juniors—Fannie Thomson Ellen Marcotte, Lily Parks, George Michell, Fred. Alexander, Wendell Spotts.

Sub-juniors—Emma Turgoose, Edward Alexander, Emily Greig, Albert Simpson, John Haldon, Ernest Skitch.

Primaries — Felix Marcotte, Annie Skitch, Willie Michell, Willie Richardson, Solomon Harrison, Benjamin Harrison, Stephen Skitch.

The following are star pupils in regularity of attendance, having been present every day during the half-year: Fannie Turgoose, Emma Simpson, Emma Turgoose, Edward Alexander.

King Lear To-night.

The Sheridan engagement commences this evening with Lear. The San Francisco *Chronicle* says:—

"The great play, taken altogether is one of, if not the most striking and effective of Shakespeare's works, has long been avoided by actors. The character of the King is beyond the reach of most of our prominent stars, and it was not without a good deal of dread that Edwin Booth, after long study and consideration, undertook to try it. As will be remembered, his impersonation was not very heartily praised when he gave it at the California, but since then he has played the part in the very stronghold of Shakesperian acting, and carried off the most flattering laurels. As a spectacle, as an acting play and as a story King Lear has no superior. It contains all the elements necessary to success, and given with a great actor in the leading part, which none but a great actor can perform, and a reliable company in support, there are few pieces which can hold an audience so fascinated. From the opening to the close it is full of wild grandeur. The characters are pictured in the highest strain of dramatic intensity, and it is throughout a weird war of human passions, dressed in thoughts that breathe and words that burn."

Mr. Sheridan's Lear is fast taking its place as one of the first Shakesperean impersonations of the day. An overflowing house is sure to greet the great actor and his talented support this evening.

Canada for Canadians.

Canadian railways, built out of Canadian money should be built by Canadian labor. In British Columbia it is proposed to bring out Chinamen to build them. This is hardly fair to our own people. When native labor can be found to do the work to native labor the work should be given. In the case of private contractors it is hardly to be expected that they will give much consideration to a sentiment when on the lookout for dollars and cents. If they can get the Chinese to do the work for less money than white men they will not be apt to decline Chinese labor because of the color of the navvy's skin. There has been a great deal of objection made to the Chinese coming to this continent, and British Columbia passed a bill restricting Chinese immigration, but it was afterwards disallowed. The first shipload of Chinese brought to San Francisco was brought by contractors to build the overland railway.—*Toronto Telegram.*

[But, Mr. *Telegram*, native labor *cannot* be found to do the work. Right willingly would British Columbia dispense with Chinese labor if Ontario and the eastern provinces would send men to work on the railroad, and then settle on our unoccupied lands or assist in developing our illimitable resources.—ED.]

GILBERT LAIRD, St. Margaret's, Hope, Orkney, Scotland, writes:—I am requested by several friends to order another parcel of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. The last lot I got from you having been tested in several cases of Rheumatism, has given relief, when the doctors' medicines have failed to have any effect. The excellent qualities of this medicine should be made known, that the millions of sufferers throughout the world may benefit by its provident discovery. 16

THE following passengers sail for San Francisco to-day by the Geo. W. Elder:—Mrs. Searby, A. Vaenberg, Dr. J. Surman, Flood, Geo. Odin, L. Odin, Miss B. Halbert, Wing Shang, Fred. Kaye, H. McKay, Aaron Lewis, C. H. Gamsby, W. G. Surtevant, Chas. H. Mina, Robt. McLaren, J. B. Sturges, Jos. Garton, C. H. Carner, T H Allen and 6 in the steerage.

WHY do you cry hard times and say this is the poorest Christmas you ever saw? when you can go to the COMMERCIAL HOTEL and get the best dinner the market affords for the usual price—25 cents! Dinner from 12 to 3 p. m.
* D. M. ELLIS, Proprietor.

MR. Charles Townsend, of Sedalia, Mo., had rheumatism of the worst kind. A sea trip was a failure as to renewing his health, and he was going home to die. An ex-Consul of Great Britian advised the use of St. Jacob's Oil, with the result of curing him in two days.

POLICE COURT.—A. d. and d. forfeited his bail yesterday in not attending to the charge preferred against him. Two Chinese cases for infraction of a city by-law were dismissed and another was remanded till to-morrow.

SAANICH.—On Sunday next, Christmas Day, divine service will be held at the Church, South Saanich, at 11 a. m.

Marine.

The barque Fleetwing, Capt. McPhaiden, from Burrard Inlet, bound to Melbourne, which put in Sydney harbor, recently encountered very heavy weather along this coast. She left Burrard Inlet on August 20, and had calms for the first six days, when light west winds sprung up and carried the ship to latitude 36 22 north, and longtitude 137 38 west; north and north-east winds then prevailed to the north-east trades, which were got in latitude 24° north, they were fresh, and lost in latitude 10° north. Had south and south-west winds then for two days, when the south-east trades were fell in with in latitude 7·46 north; crossed the equator on September 15th, in longtitude 148° west; carried the south-east trades to latitude 5° south, and the wind then hauled to north-east and east-south-east to latitude 31° south; then had north-east and south-west winds for a few days, followed by south-west winds and calm to King's Island, which was sighted on October 13; had variable winds and calms then for two days, when light north-east winds were met with until the 20th, when the wind suddenly shifted to the southward and increased to a heavy gale, and on the 22nd to a terrible gale, with very high sea, which made a clean breach over the vessel, washing everything moveable overboard, floating the deck load of timber, and filling all the houses on deck besides the cabin with water. A sail was put in the mizen rigging to keep the ship to the wind, ship under reefed main topmast staysail, and laying in the trough of the sea, making very bad weather; at 11:20 p.m. same date a heavy sea struck the vessel amidships, carrying away the main rail, running gear, and everything about the deck. Whilst the crew were engaged at the pumps, the main rail which was carried away fell amongst them, killing a young man named Bernard Johnson, A. B., a Norwegian, besides injuring four others, also smashing the fly wheel on the pump at midnight the pumps were again got working, and were kept going by the steam engine; at 4 a.m. on the 22nd, the gale; increased still harder, the lee side of the ship being continually under water; at daylight commenced throwing the deck cargo overboard, there being six feet of water in the hold; found some of the stanchions were broken, and letting water in freely; stopped the hole up, and at noon the gale rather moderated; made little sail to steady the ship, and buried the man Johnson, who was killed; at 3 p. m. the water in the hold was got under, and on Monday the running gear was fixed; gale moderating; an observation taken, showed the vessel was 150 miles off Sydney, and the ship being badly strained, and the crew injured and exhausted; it was deemed prudent to run for Sydney, arrived at 11:30 a.m. yesterday. The Fleetwing has 500 cases of salmon and 553,000 feet timber for Melbourne, and she will resume her voyage in a few days.

The barque Alice Muir, Capt. Henry, arrived from the Inlet yesterday morning lumber laden from Moody's Mills for Australia.

The steamship Geo. W. Elder, Capt. Morse, sails for San Francisco at 11 a.m. to-day.

The ship Dorset, Capt. Couves, arrived in Royal Roads yesterday from China where she took a cargo of lumber from Moodeville early in the fall. She made an excellent trip there and back and will now take another cargo of lumber to the same market.

Supreme Court

[Before the Chief Justice and Justices Crease and Gray.]

In another column will be found a synopsis of what occurred between the bench and the bar on the subject of the present state of civil procedure in the province.

After this the case of Reg. v. Tessier on the criminal side of the court was called up for hearing. The prisoner was tried at the last assizes for maliciously wounding an ox, the property of Gyves and the jury found a special verdict that the prisoner was guilty of throwing an ax at the ox in question and wounding the same whilst in the act of driving the animal from his potato patch. Upon this finding the prisoner had been remanded into custody and he was now brought before the court on a writ of *habeas corpus* and counsel, Mr. Theodore Davie, applied for his discharge on the ground that the finding amounted to an acquittal, or that at least it was not a verdict of guilty as the jury by not finding malice had negatived it and the court could not intend malice. The attorney-general argued that the finding was a verdict of guilty.

Their Lordships reserved judgment until Monday and in the meantime admitted the prisoner to bail himself in $250 and two sureties each in $125.

The other objections to the proceedings *i. e.* the determination of the commission and separation of the jury were not argued.

Good News.

Mr. A. Ofner, corner Government and Fort streets, has just received 1000 cases of best American Coal Oil, which he will sell at reduced prices. Also, a choice variety of Christmas Goods.

Orders from the tradeare solicited. *

MERRY CHRISTMAS.—The city yesterday began putting on her holiday dress. From an early hour express wagons, carts, etc., were busily engaged in bringing evergreens to town, and before night the larger portion of Government and several other streets had been decorated, while the shop windows were all tastily arranged and the citizens began to realize that Christmas was close at hand.

COMING. — A telegram received here yesterday from Rev. Mr. Taylor, the celebrated street preacher of San Francisco a quarter of a century ago, states that he will be in this city and will preach in the Methodist church on Sunday morning next. He was in Tacoma yesterday on his way up the Sound.

DEATH IN THE COFFEE POT.—The public are cautioned against purchasing imported California ground coffee. Its cheapness is its only recommendation. The ingredients are of the vilest description, as anyone using it will discover should he examine the grounds. During the perihelia of the planets people should be careful what they eat and drink. Don't allow your grocer to palm off his trash upon you, because it pays him better to sell it than the good article. Ask for FELL & Co.'s Coffee and take no other. *

THE most elegant and varied stock of Holiday Goods, both in Gold and Silver, is to be found at C. REDFERN'S—all to be sold at low prices, with ten per cent. discount for cash. *

BASS' ALE AND GUINNESS' STOUT, bottled by M. B. Foster & Son's, will hereafter, if genuine, bear the name of TURNER, BEETON & Co. on the labels, as they are the sole agents for this Province. *

The Canadian Monopoly.

A usually very careful city cotemporary has been lead into a mistake by not reading both sides of the Canadian Pacific railroad question. The *Alta* quotes the Toronto *Globe* as authority. However ably the *Globe* may be conducted it is a partisan newspaper, never stating a whole case when the half would serve its purposes better. The Canada Pacific is a government road, under government control, the object being to make a first-class road across the continent, and with the further object of placing a powerful first-class line of steamships on the Atlantic and the Pacific, with the avowed object of bidding for and ultimately controlling the trans-continental trade of China and Japan. To do this the government guarantees certain profit for the first ten years, and then limits the maxium of profit thereafter. To make good their guarantee they advance a great amount of money and grant a great deal of land, which will neither be lost nor given away, for it will doubtless all be absorbed before the profits reach the maxium. It is impossible that this can be a monopoly in any sense, as the people are fully protected from exorbitant rates. One designated American line of road will be used until the Canadian line is built around Lakes Superior and Huron. Now, with reference to the road chartered by the province of Manitoba. The legislature of Manitoba can charter any line it pleases within its own limits for the accommodation of its people and the Dominion Government cannot interfere. But if they charter a line intended to be a part of an intercolonial or international line the charter must have the approval of the government at Ottawa, for intercolonial or international legislation is expressly given to the Dominion Government by the British North American Act. As certain profits are guaranteed by the government it certainly would not allow the line to be tapped by rival lines in a foreign country, whose only object would be to cripple the road and which are largely interested in the great struggle for the trade of the Pacific. The Canadians, no doubt, want the road badly, and they will take good care that it shall not be ruined by rival lines while it is in its infancy.—*S. F. News Letter.*

Washington Eighty Years Ago.

In November, 1800, President Adams removed his family from Philadelphia to Washington City and took possession of the building which is now known the world over as the "White House." It was'nt quite finished, it had no fence around it, it was located in a forest, and it was three miles from the capitol, to which Pennsylvania avenue was cut through the trees and swamps. A letter of that day said: "In going to assemblies we have to drive three or four miles, and very often at the risk of being overturned, or of being stuck in the mud." Mrs. Adams wrote to her daughter on the 21st of November, 1800, saying that she arrived the Sunday before after a tiresome and dismal journey from Baltimore. "Here and there," she said, is a small cot, without a glass window, interpersed among the forests, and through which you travel miles without seeing a human being." In speaking of the new presidential mansion she said: "It is on a grand and superb scale, requiring about thirty servants." She was evidently a little disposed to complain of the crude condition in which she found everything, but she said: "If they will put me up some bells and let me have wood enough to keep the fires, I design to be pleased." The house required great fires and she was annoyed at the difficulty in obtaining wood, when she was surrounded by forests, "because people cannot be found to cart it." The price had gone up from four to seven dollars a cord, without affording the needed supply. In a letter she complained of the roads and distances. She said: You can scarcely believe, that here, in this wilderness city, I should find my time so occupied as it is. But my visitors come, some three or four miles, and to return one of these visits is the work of a day. Mrs. Otis, my nearest neighbor, is at lodgings almost half a mile from me, and Mrs. Senator Otis two miles distant." The new city at that time contained about 2,500 inhabitants, who lived almost in shanties and partly finished houses, scattered about at long distance, with the tumbling down village of Georgetown, three miles away, or its source of supply.

A $1,500,000 Diamond Found.

From all accounts the wonderful Koh-i-noor or "Mountain of Light," the property of her Britannic Majesty, is eclipsed by a recently discovered diamond found in South Africa and now in the possession of Mr. Porter-Rhodes who is, we believe, the fortunate discoverer of the gem. The weight of the newly found stone is 150 carats. It is uncut, but from its peculiarly favorable shape is not expected to lose more than 10 carats during the process. The diamond is as big as a very large walnut and is described as like "a hailstone in sunlight, of a bewitching transparency, and brilliant whiteness no other precious metal can vie with." Most Cape diamonds are of an inferior yellowish tinge, which detracts from the value of the stones; but this specimen is not only the largest ever discovered but of a purity unsurpassed by any of its compeers. We understand that the stone was recently shown to the Prince of Wales at Marlborough House and that his best diamonds when placed beside the Porter-Rhodes stone were seen to be "off color." Offers for his property flow in upon the lucky owner from all parts of Europe. The first offer received was £50,000; the last made was £100,000. The owner's bank, we hear, are willing to advance £60,000 against the security. The stone will not, it is thought, change hands under £200,000, which is just £50,000 more than the famous Koh-i-noor is valued at. Mr. Porter-Rhodes asks the trifling sum of £300,000, or $1,500,000 for his property and does not seem in a hurry to dispose of it. It is rumored that a Russian prince is in treaty for the jewel.—*S. F. News Letter.*

GOLD-HUNTING.

The Adventures of a Chicago Man in Alaska.

Mr. Joseph T. Kretzinger, of Chicago, who left his home in this city about five months ago, and, after organizing a prospecting party, made a tour through parts of Alaska and other far distant points in the great Northwest in search of gold, returned recently, and is now stopping with his brother, Mr. Geo. W. Kretzinger, the attorney. The returned explorer is hale and hearty, his journey of about 12,000 miles having agreed with him immensely, and he expressed himself as being greatly in love with the country through which the party traveled. Mr. Kretzinger kept a complete diary of the trip and is preparing it for publication, intending to have it ready shortly. He objects to furnishing details or incidents of the trip ahead of his diary publication, so that only a general outline of where the party went and what they saw could be obtained by the *Tribune* reporter, who yesterday met and conversed with the gold-hunter.

Mr. Kretzinger was accompanied by A. P. Horton, O. R. Young and R. Hauchka of Deadwood, E. J. Bronson of San Francisco, and Charles Hayward, Rotchford, Dakota. The party went directly to Victoria, Vancouver Island, and from there to Fort Wrangel, Alaska; thence to the Stickeen River and up the Stickeen to Telegraph Creek. From this point they crossed the trail—made a portage of seventy-four miles—to the Dease Lake, their guns, supplies, and tents being carried by mules. At the Dease Lake they procured a boat—an open one, about 40 feet long—and in this boat went down the Dease River about 210 miles, or where the Dease empties into the Deloir or Laird River; and they floated down the Laird about 300 miles and to within about 300 miles of the Mackenzie River and 800 miles of the Arctic Ocean. They were at this time, on the 7th of August, something like 6,000 miles from Chicago. The start back was made Aug. 12. It was now an up-stream journey and necessarily very slow, the river current being exceedingly swift and strong. The boat had to be either towed or poled. The prospecting was done on the return trip, and about 200 miles south of the Dease Lake was found a region quite rich with gold dust, samples of which Mr. Kretzinger brought back with him. In the spring the same parties will return to the point from which the gold dust was brought, and will "work it" until cold weather sets in again.

PRINEVILLE, Dec. 12. — A terrible shooting affray occurred in this place Sunday between Henry Vaughn and Charles Long. The quarrel began in the morning over a game of cards and it was thought that the ill feeling between the parties would cease when they became sober. But mutual friends neglected to keep them apart and about two o'clock they met in Till Glaze's saloon and pretended to make friends, took a drink together and commenced to talk over the affair of the morning. Neither being willing to admit that he was wrong they came to hard words drew their pistols and emptied them before they stopped. Vaughn received a serious wound the ball ranging the left breast above the heart and ranging the left lung; also a scalp wound over the left temporal bone. Long was shot four times, one ball passing through the left breast and right arm, but not break it; one through the shoulder, breaking the shoulder blade under the point of shoulder; one in the forearm, the ball ranging upwards, making an ugly wound eight or nine inches in length, and one in the left side, the ball stopping near the spine. Drs. Whittaker and Gesnor took the wounded man in charge and succeeded in extracting all the balls from Long, but failed to get the bullet from Vaughn's body. Both men are very seriously hurt and their situation at present is very precarious. As to who is to blame in the matter we are unable to state. As soon as pistols came in sight the room has speedily vacated and no one can say for certain who is at fault.

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AT 11 O'CLOCK, A.M.,

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FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

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21 cases ca. 8 doz. pints Porter,
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We have received instructions from H. BORNSTIEN, Esq., Assignee in the Estate of J. Dudgeon, to sell by Public Auction, on the premises, Fort street, near Blanchard street,

Wednesday, Dec. 21st, 1881,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

Shop and Office Fixtures, Tubs, Barrel, Kettle, Cleavers, Knives, Saws, Blockpins, Basket, Grindstone, Screens, Hose, Stove, Clock, Rack and Hooks, Curtains,

SAUSAGE MACHINE, STUFFER

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JOHN GRAHAM,
Assistant Receiver General.

Victoria, Nov. 26th, 1881. no27

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MISCELLANEOUS.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usua weekly statements, during the Quarter ending 30th September, 1881.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$ 56,959 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$103,213 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	11,486 00	Gold Bullion	7,477 00
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	134,564 00	Notes and Cheq ies of other Banks	4,142 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	216,214 00	Landed and other Property	15,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	161,363 00
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	146,445 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$419,223 00	Total Amount of Assets	$440,640 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th Sept., 1881.....$5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders.....5 per cent per annum
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year.....$125,000
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend.....$756,000

VICTORIA, B.C., 14th Oct., 1881.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
(Signed) G. H. BURNS, p. Accountant.

I, ROBERT BURNS, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract s a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1861. (Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 14th day of October, 1881.
oc15 (Signed) J. W. McKAY, J. P.

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TENDER FOR WORK IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to NOON on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of February next, in a lump sum, for the construction of that portion of the road between Port Moody and the West-end of Contract 60, near Emory's Bar, a distance of about 85 miles.

Specifications, conditions of contract and forms of tender may be obtained on application at the Canadian Pacific Railway Office, in New Westminster, and at the Chief Engineer's Office at Ottawa, after the 1st January next, at which time plans and profiles will be open for inspection at the latter office.

This timely notice is given with a view to giving Contractors an opportunity of visiting and examining the ground during the fine season and before the winter sets in.

Mr. Marcus Smith, who is in charge at the office at New Westminster, is instructed to give Contractors all the information in his power.

No tender will be entertained unless on one of the printed forms, addressed to F. Braun, Esq., Secty. Dept. of Railways and Canals, and marked "Tender for C. P. R."

F. BRAUN, Secretary.

Dept. of Railways and Canals,
Ottawa, Oct. 24th, 1881. no13dw

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NOTICES.

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT JOHN PATMORE WALLS, of Victoria, British Columbia, intends to apply at the next session of the Provincial Legislature for a Private Bill authorizing his call to the bar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Dated the 24th November, 1881. no25

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT CHARLES Wilson of Barkerville, Cariboo, intends to apply at the next session of the Provincial Legislature for a Private Bill authorizing his call to the bar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia and his admission as a Solicitor therein, upon his passing the necessary examination.

Dated 16th November, A.D., 1881. no19dw

NOTICE.

MR. JAMES BEER HAS ASSIGNED HIS EState to the undersignen for the benefit of his creditors. All claims are requested to be sent in at once. Mr. Beer is empowered to collect debts.

J. H. TODD.
17th Nov., 1881. no19

NOTICE.

HAVING ESTABLISHED MYSELF AT VICtoria as Real Estate, General Commission Agent and Custom House Broker, any business entrusted to me will receive prompt and careful attention. Terminus Lots and Land in all parts of the province for sale; $50,000 to loan on approved security. REGINALD NUTTALL.

Office—Near Theatre Royal, Government street, Victoria. no27

ESQUIMALT LICENSING COURT.

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that he intends to apply to the Bench of Licensing Magistrates of Esquimalt for a license to retail Spirits and Malt Liquors, at the International Hotel, in the Town of Esquimalt.

STEPHEN JONES.
Esquimalt, Nov. 14, 1881 no15

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION WILL be made at the next session of the Legislative Assembly for a Private Bill to enable me, the undersigned, to be admitted to practice as a Solicitor and Barrister in the Supreme and other Courts of the Province of British Columbia, subject to my passing the necessary legal examinations before examiners to be appointed.

Dated 9th day of November, 1881.

SAMUEL PERRY MILLS,
no9 2m The Petitioner in Person.

MUNICIPAL.

IN PURSUANCE OF A RESOLUTION PASSED by the Municipal Council on the 26th inst.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Reward of FIVE DOLLARS will be paid to any person who shall give such information as shall lead to the conviction of any person or persons found breaking the windows of any house or tenement within the City Limits. WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office, Oct, 27th, 1881. oc28

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase One hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, situate at Nimkush River Vancouver Island, and described as follows:—

Commencing at the North-east corner stake of the Nimkush Indian Reserve, which is situate about 10 chains North-easterly from the North side of the old village site, described in the Admiralty Chart as "Cherlakee;" thence true west, along the Northern boundary of said Indian Reserve for a distance of 40 chains; thence true North, for a distance of 40 chains; thence true East for a distance of 40 chains, more or or less, to the shore line on Johnson Strait; thence in a Southerly direction, following the said shore line of Johnson Strait, to the point of commencement; and containing 160 acres, more or less.

No mining claims or mineral lands are known to exist in the neighborhood.

S. A. SPENCER.
Victoria, B.C., August 3rd, 1881. au7

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT I INTEND to apply to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated on the North bank of he Naas River. Said one hundred and sixty acres are contained within a line commencing at a p st on the shore of the river situated about a quarte of a mile West of Red Bluffs; from the post the lin r n s in a Westerly direction forty chains; thence r orth-erly direction forty chains; thence in an F y direction forty chains, and from thence to t commencement.

No mining claims or mineral lands are kne exist on the said one hundred and sixty acres.

HENRY E. CROASDAILE.
15th September, 1881. se18

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, situated at Rivers Inlet and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the North shore of Rivers Inlet; thence running true North for a distance of 40 chains; thence true East, 40 chains; thence true South 40 chains, more or less, to the shore line of Rivers Inlet; thence West, along the said shore line, for a distance of 40 chains, more or less, to the point of commencement.

MICHAEL HART.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 27th, 1881. oc2

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LOT.	BLOCK.	AMOUNT OF TAXES.	AMOUNT OF INTEREST	SIDE-WALKS.	TOTAL.	COSTS.
33	3	$ 18 00	$ 2 16	$	$ 20 16	$ 3 10
Part 43	14	14 05	1 68	8 80	24 53	3 22
79	26	42 00	5 04	16 20	63 24	5 16
87	26	15 00	1 80		16 80	2 84
143	V.	168 00	20 16		188 16	11 40
144	"	30 00	3 60		33 60	3 68
256	27	20 00	2 40		22 40	3 12
257	"	40 00	4 80		44 80	4 24
297	15	20 00	2 40		22 40	3 12
313	11	18 00	2 16		20 60	3 10
493	D.	12 00	1 44		13 44	2 67
Part 508	"	15 00	1 80		16 80	2 84
512	C.	15 00	1 80		16 80	2 84
575	41	18 38	2 20		20 58	3 02
699	R.	40 00	4 80		44 80	4 24
Part 717	Q.	8 55	1 02		9 57	2 47
734	P.	20 00	2 40		22 40	3 12
793	10	31 50	3 78		35 28	3 76
794	"	20 56	2 46	11 00	34 03	3 70
803	"	12 00	1 44	18 00	31 44	3 67
830	5	18 00	2 16		20 16	3 10
854	"	9 00	1 08		10 08	2 50
855	"	9 00	1 08		10 08	2 50
Half of 876	J.	6 60	80		7 40	2 37
Half of 878	"	10 50	1 26		11 76	2 58
919	39	14 88	1 78		16 66	2 83
Part 941	42	7 50	90		8 40	2 42
Part 942	"	8 25	98		9 23	2 46
970	6	22 00	2 64		24 64	3 23
1005	17	24 00	2 88		26 88	3 34
Part 1023	20	10 50	1 16	19 42	31 08	3 55
1046	7	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1048	"	18 00	2 16		20 16	3 10
1059	"	7 50	90		8 40	2 42
1062	"	10 50	1 26		11 76	2 58
1068	8	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1069	"	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1076	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1118-19	32	44 00	5 28		49 28	4 46
1124	"	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1126	"	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1150	36	12 67	1 51		14 18	2 70
1183	21	21 00	2 52		23 52	3 17
1276	46	12 50	1 50		14 00	2 70
1824	62	63 00	7 56		70 56	5 52
1839	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1840	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1841	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1943	65	11 25	1 34		12 59	2 62
5-ACRE LOTS.						
Subdivision 8 of	II.	32 00	3 84		35 84	3 79
Part Subdn. E. of	V.	10 18	1 20		11 38	2 56
Sub. 4 and 5	VI.	13 00	1 56		14 56	2 72
Sub. 7	"	4 50	54		5 04	2 25
Sub. 17	"	4 00	48		4 48	2 22
Sub. 20	IX.	10 00	1 20		11 20	2 56
Sub. 19	XIII.	15 62	1 87		17 49	2 87
Part Sub. 27	"	4 50	54		4 94	2 24
Sub. 1	XIX.	4 00	48		4 48	2 22
Sub. 2	"	4 68	56		5 24	2 26
Sub. 3	"	4 25	50		4 75	2 23
Sub. 12	"	5 50	66		6 16	2 30
Sub. 15-21	"	37 74	4 52		42 26	4 11
Sub. 22-24	"	13 02	1 56		14 58	2 72
Sub. 26	"	5 50	66		6 16	2 30
Sub. 43	"	4 33	51		4 84	2 24
Sub. 55-58	"	22 00	2 64		24 64	3 23
BECKLEY FARM.						
Subdivision 23 of	Sub. Sec. 28.	4 25	50		4 75	2 23
1694	56					
Subdivision 46		7 50	90		8 40	2 42
Spring Ridge	Sec. 2.	10 00	1 20		11 20	2 56
Section 14	Spring Ridge.	56 00	6 72		62 72	5 13
Part Section 21	do do	14 25	1 70		15 95	2 74
do do 74	Victoria District.	48 00	5 76	73 62	127 38	8 36
do do 74	do do	60 00	7 20		67 20	5 36
do do 74	do do	19 50	2 34		21 84	3 09
FINLAYSON ESTATE						
7	A.	39 00	4 68		43 68	4 18
WORK ESTATE.						
2	F.	5 37	63		6 00	2 30
14	I.	7 50	90	22 60	31 00	3 55
3 and 5	Z.	5 00	60		5 60	2 28

THOS. RUSSELL, Assessor and Collector.

City Hall, Victoria, Sept. 25, 1881. se25

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 30th Sept., 1881.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in circulation	$473,077 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$207,994 41
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	2,946 13	Gold Bullion	17,554 89
Deposits not bearing Interest	$938,727 54	Landed and other Property	20,169
Deposits bearing Interest	59,911 21	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 12,158 76
	998,638 75	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	606,659 32
			618,809
		All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	812,779 87
		Do. without the Province	66,237 71
			879,017
Total Amount of Liabilities	$1,474,661 88	Total Amount of Assets	$1,749,515 91

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 30th Sept., 1881.....$1,750,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders.....5 per cent. per annum.
Amount of last dividend declared.....$43,250
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend.....$224,200

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 20th Oct., 1881.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements there kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 20th day of Oct., 1881.
oc21 (Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.

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